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The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert Speaker of the House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

Dear Mr. Speaker:

I have approved the retirement of Lieutenant General Dennis D. Cavin, United States Army, and his advancement to the grade of lieutenant general on the retired list. I have exercised my authority to reduce the 3-year service-in-grade requirement and certify that Lieutenant General Cavin has served satisfactorily on active duty in his current grade. Lieutenant General Cavin, who is 56 years of age, currently serves as Commanding General, United States Army Accessions Command/Deputy Commanding General for Initial Entry Training, United States Army Training and Doctrine Command. I have also notified the President of the United States and the President of the Senate of this action.

Sincerely,

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